

RESOLUTION NO. 3970

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD
SUPPORTING THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ASSOCIATION OF
MONTEREY BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS (AMBAG) IN DECLARING THE
MONTH OF MAY 2007 AS CLEAN AIR MONTH IN THE
MONTEREY BAY REGION**

WHEREAS, the American Lung Association has declared the month of May 2007 as "Clean Air Month"; the California Bicycle Coalition has declared May 12-20 as Bike Week; and Transportation Agency of Monterey County, the Council of San Benito County Governments; and

WHEREAS, the promotion of cleaner air through the use of sustainable transportation will be promoted extensively during Clean Air Month, May 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Association of Monterey Bay Area Governments is working in partnership with the American Lung Association of the Central Coast, the Council of San Benito County Governments, the Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District, the Santa Cruz Area Transportation Management Association, the Transportation Agency for Monterey County, Ecology Action and interested cities within the tri-county region in taking a pro-active step promoting sustainable that offer benefits to both residents and businesses in the Monterey Bay region.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Soledad hereby proclaims May 2007 as Clean Air Month in the City of Soledad.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the City of Soledad City Council urges all employers/employees and residents to examine their roll in producing smog and pollution and give consideration to sustainable commute methods such as carpooling, vanpooling, transit, bicycling, walking, and telecommuting during May 2007 and to take a pro-active role in education and advocacy efforts to promote the vital importance of health and clean air.

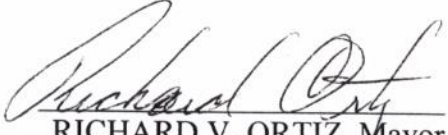
PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Soledad a regular meeting duly held on the 4th day of April 2007, by the following vote:

AYES, and in favor thereof, Councilmembers: Juan Saavedra, Patricia Stephens, Mayor Pro Tem Christopher Bourke, Mayor Richard Ortiz

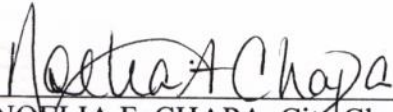
NOES, Councilmembers: None

ABSTAIN, Councilmembers: None

ABSENT, Councilmembers: Martha Camacho


RICHARD V. ORTIZ, Mayor

ATTEST:


NOELIA F. CHAPA, City Clerk